

EISEMAN BROS

Outfitters for Both Men and Boys,
Cor. 7th and E Sts. N.W.
Close Daily at 5 P.M.; Saturdays, 9 P.M.

Clearance Sale Prices Prevail in All Departments.

The season of the year we wind up all our summer goods, closing them out at especially low prices in order to make a quick and grand sweep before the arrival of early fall wearables.

"E. B." clothing at one-third off is indeed a good investment; it would certainly pay you to buy now for next season—in fact, you would have nearly three months' wear this season. No better or finer made clothes for men, youths and boys than the ever-popular E. B. productions. Here's the reduction—see windows:

\$6.67 for Suits marked \$10.00	\$12.35 for Suits marked \$18.50
\$8.35 for Suits marked \$12.50	\$13.35 for Suits marked \$20.00
\$9.00 for Suits marked \$13.50	\$15.00 for Suits marked \$22.50
\$10.00 for Suits marked \$15.00	\$20.00 for Suits marked \$30.00

All Our Summer Weight Trousers Are Greatly Reduced.

No doubt your coat is still good, but you need an extra pair of trousers to wear with it. This sale offers an excellent opportunity to fill that want. All sizes and in the smartest styles.

\$2.50 Trousers now \$1.67	\$5.00 Trousers now \$3.35
\$3.00 Trousers now \$2.00	\$6.00 Trousers now \$4.00
\$3.50 Trousers now \$2.35	\$6.50 Trousers now \$4.35
\$4.00 Trousers now \$2.67	\$7.50 Trousers now \$5.00
\$4.50 Trousers now \$3.00	\$9.00 Trousers now \$6.00

Children's Suits, 1/2 Off.

Think what this means—half former low prices—less than the cost of the materials almost. Choice assortment of neat worsteds, cassimeres, tibets and serges, single and double breasted effects. Sizes 6 to 17 years. Cut the marked price in half. Bring the boys tomorrow; Saturday is their day.

Straw Hats Take a "Cut."

Every Hat has had its former price cut deeply; we never carry over from one season to the other—for that reason our stock goes.

Any Porto Rica Hats in the house.....	\$1.89
All our \$3.00 Split Straws now.....	\$2.00
All our \$2.50 Split Straws now.....	\$1.69
All our \$2.00 Split Straws now.....	\$1.39

Furnishings Also Take a "Cut."

Manhattan Shirts—all are colored—formerly sold at \$1.25. Now.....	\$1.25
The regular \$2 grade, now \$1.50.	
\$1 White and Colored Negligé Shirts—nearly all sizes.....	69c
75c and 98c White and Colored Summer Shirts cut to.....	50c
50c Bal. Underwear—short and long sleeves—double-seat drawers—cut to.....	35c
75c French Bal. Underwear—short and long sleeve shirts—double-seat drawers—cut to.....	50c
All \$1.00 Grade Underwear now.....	69c
All \$1.50 Leather Belts now.....	79c
Regular 50c Fancy Embroidery Hose, black, tan and navy, also lace tie in colors.....	25c
Special.....	
6 pairs boxed, \$1.35.	
Fancy Yests, worth up to \$4.50. Your choice at.....	\$1.50

PROMOTIONS IN DISTRICT

NEW CHIEF CLERK OF THE ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

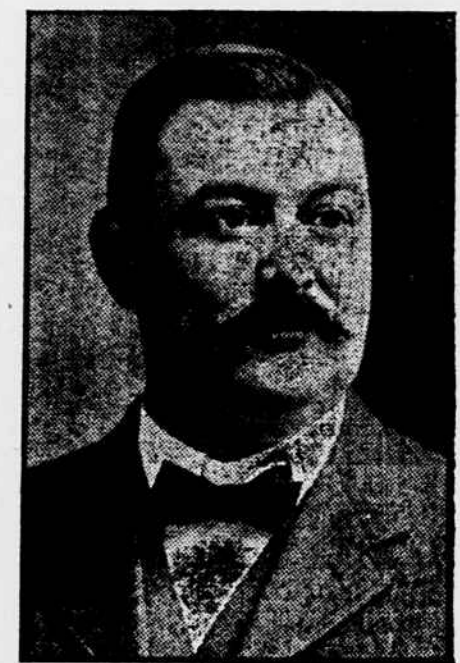
Mr. Daniel E. Garges Named for the Position—Other Changes Announced Today.

Daniel E. Garges, for a number of years private secretary to the Engineer Commissioner of the District, was today promoted to the position of chief clerk of the District engineer department to succeed A. Y. Lakenan, who died Tuesday night. Edgar E. Helm, who has been secretary to the engineer of highways, received a promotion in salary, and will take charge of the record division of the engineer department, and a number of others were promoted by the Commissioners today incident to the vacancy caused by Mr. Lakenan's death.

These promotions were exclusively predicted in The Star of yesterday, but were not announced by the Commissioners until today. The official order making these and other changes reads as follows: "The following promotions are approved: D. E. Garges, clerk at \$1,800, to chief clerk at \$1,900; E. B. Helm, clerk at \$1,000, to clerk at \$1,100; R. M. Barr, clerk at \$1,400, to clerk at \$1,500; E. R. Green, clerk at \$1,200, to clerk at \$1,300; R. L. Bradshaw, clerk at \$1,000, to clerk at \$1,100. All to take effect on and after August 1 last.

Promoted Upon Merit.

In every instance these fortunate employees of the District were promoted upon merit and according to their length of service. Mr. Garges was the next in line in the engineer department below Mr. Lakenan, and Mr. Helm was next in line to succeed Mr. Garges. Although Mr. Garges becomes



Edgar E. Helm.
Chief Clerk of Engineer Division.

the chief clerk of this branch of the local government he will retain his present office, which is adjacent to that of the Engineer Commissioner, and will continue to serve as his confidential secretary in connection with his duties as chief clerk.

Mr. Garges is a member of the bar and a notary public and is conceded to be one of the best authorities of the District upon matters pertaining to the engineer department and the local government. He has made his services of great value to the Engineer Commissioner, and has in the past been engaged in the preparation of various bills affecting the District. He has compiled a number of works in connection with the District for the use of the officials. So great is the confidence placed in this young official by his superiors that considerable business is turned over to him to dispose of at his own discretion.

Daniel E. Garges entered the service of the District government September 1, 1900, as a messenger-clerk at \$900 per year and arose through various grades to the position as secretary to the Engineer Commissioner at \$1,800 per year, to which he was appointed January 16, 1904. Mr. Garges is a graduate of the Washington High School and of George Washington University law school, having graduated from there in 1896 with the degree of LL.M. He has performed in addition to his duties as secretary to the Engineer Commissioner the duties as a member and secretary of the wharf committee, secretary of the Washington pub-

Parker, Bridget & Co.

Pa. Ave. and 9th St.

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Store Closes Daily at 5 P.M., Saturdays at 6 P.M.

Tomorrow Is the Second Day of Our Semi-Annual Mark-Down Sale of Our Entire Stock of Men's Suits.

It's the premier trade and money-saving event of the entire season and is recognized by men of shrewdness and judgment as the best time of the year in which to lay in a goodly supply of apparel for present and future needs. It is an occasion that marks brisk times at our store, as thousands of our regular patrons are wise and sufficiently alert to take advantage of it. Every Summer Suit (both man's and youth's) is involved.

All the Fancy Tropical Worsteds.
All the Cassimeres and Cheviots.
Also Blue and Black Serges.

All the single and double breasted models—all the two-garment and three-garment suits, irrespective of their worth or desirability. The purport of the sale is to close out all goods in their respective season—hence the big cut in prices, which never fails to bring about the desired result. That's why each season we show none but the newest goods.

All the \$12.00 Suits Are Reduced to \$9.00
All the \$15.00 Suits Are Reduced to \$10.75
All the \$18.00 Suits Are Reduced to \$12.75
All the \$20.00 Suits Are Reduced to \$14.25
All the \$25.00 Suits Are Reduced to \$18.75
All the \$30.00 Suits Are Reduced to \$21.75
All the \$35.00 Suits Are Reduced to \$25.25

Thousands upon thousands of garments—a greater stock by far than that embraced in the combined stocks of any other three sales now in progress.

Clearance Sale of Men's Oxfords.

Broken lots of our \$5.00 and \$6.00 lines to be closed out at

\$3.50.

Embraced are patent colt and gun metal leathers in the popular Blucher models. These are our celebrated "Teck" Oxfords which can be bought at reduced prices only during our clearance sale.

ALL STRAW HATS 1/3 OFF.

It's our annual sale. Every Straw Hat in the house is included, all the yachts, all the soft straws, all the Panamas—not a single hat is exempt.

The \$1.50 Hats go for \$1.00
The \$2.00 Hats go for \$1.33
The \$2.50 Hats go for \$1.67
The \$3.00 Hats go for \$2.00
The \$4.00 Hats go for \$2.67
The \$5.00 Hats go for \$3.34
\$5 and \$6 Panamas, \$2.95.

Special Sale of Boys' Clothing at 1/3 Off.

Our entire stock of Boys' Wash Suits, excepting the Peter Thompson style, at one-third off regular prices.

Regular Knee Pants, mixed wool fabrics, that sold for 75c and 80c. Tomorrow.....

48c

Boys' \$6.00, \$6.50 and \$7.00 Suits at
\$3.95.

Of fancy cassimeres and cheviots, also blue serges, in Norfolk and double-breasted jacket models, blouses and regulation-cut trousers. Quite a complete range of sizes. Broad variety of patterns.

All Juvenile Wool Suits in Russian and Sailor Blouse Styles

At 1/3 Off.
Big line of Boys' Bathing Suits,
50c to \$2.00.

Boys' \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$6.00 Suits at
\$2.95.

The ends of the most popular line we carry in stock, embracing plaids, mixtures and checks, in cassimeres and cheviots. Some have bloomer pants. Not every size in every style.

Annual Reduction Sale of Manhattan Shirts, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75.

We have also reduced our entire stock of high-grade shirts in the same manner

Men's High-Grade Half Hose at 25c

We were fortunate enough to secure fifty dozen "sample" 1/2 Hose from a large importer, to which we added some of our 50c and 75c lines in order to make the greatest value ever offered at 25c. The lot consists of fancy and black lisle thread, laces and fine cottons.

25c

Swiss Ribbed Athletic Shirts, just the kind for hot weather, 50c grade at 25c.

50c Bat and Club Ties at 25c.

Parker, Bridget & Co.

Head-to-Foot Outfitters.

Pa. Ave. and Ninth St.

"Pays to Deal Where Satisfaction Is Guaranteed."

Mayer & Co
409-417 Seventh St.

Buy Now and Have Your Purchases Charged

You'll save money by taking advantage of these cut prices, and we make no extra charges for the conveniences of credit.

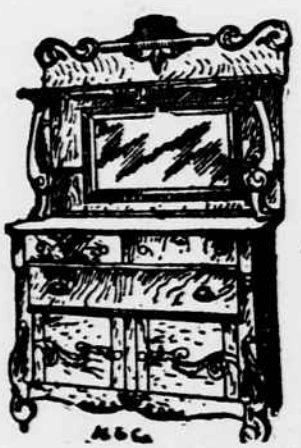
Sideboards.

\$16 Solid Oak Sideboards... \$8.98

Made of selected golden oak, have carved tops, French plate glass mirrors, three drawers, two cupboards and are nicely finished.

Massive \$34 Sideboards... \$25.50

Heavily made Sideboards, constructed of American quartered oak, have massive canopy tops, heavy supports, large French plate glass mirrors, serpentine swell front, lined silver drawer, large linen drawers, two cupboards, carved claw feet, finely constructed and nicely finished.



Dining Tables.

5-ft. Extension Tables, \$3.75

Made of selected golden oak, extend to five feet in length, have four and five leafed, strongly constructed and nicely polished.

Massive \$12.50 Tables, \$9.35

Very heavy extension tables, have four and five leafed, extend to six feet in length, have five heavily fluted legs, carved feet, and are nicely polished.

Fine \$26 Pedestal Tables... \$19.48

Elegantly Made Extension Tables, solid quartered oak top 41 inches square, extend to six feet in length, solid one-piece pedestal base, strongly made and highly polished.

Mr. Lamkin's Name Unwarrantably

I notice in your issue of July 31, 1907, a statement to the effect that I was elected vice president of the National Equal Rights Council at a meeting held at the Trinity Baptist Church the evening of July 30. You will please permit me to say that I did not attend the meeting, knew nothing of the

election and my name was, therefore, used without my knowledge and consent. So far as denouncing the Brookland Citizens Association because of their alleged opposition to colored schools and the endorsement of Mr. John A. McEwen for membership on the excise board is concerned, must respectfully leave that to those who have more knowledge of the merits of the cases in question than myself. Kindly make the above correction.
S. GERIAH LAMKIN.

Daniel E. Garges,
Promoted to Chief Clerk of Engineer Department.

He library commission and clerk to the board of control of Rock Creek Park. He has also compiled for Congress an edition of the code of laws for the District of Columbia and a volume on street railway franchises in the District of Columbia. Mr. Garges is thirty-three years old.

Mr. Helm's New Position.

The promotion of Mr. Helm is another one in which ability and close application to work is rewarded. During his connection with the District Mr. Helm has proven himself faithful and capable. Like Mr. Garges, he took advantage of the opportunities offered him and made a close study of the conditions around him, and by so doing acquired a masterful knowledge of his work which on many occasions has proven valuable to his superiors. The title of the position to which Mr. Helm has been promoted is "chief clerk in charge of the record division of the engineer department." In view of the fact that Chief Clerk Garges will direct his division from his present desk near that of Commissioner Morrow, Mr. Helm will preside over the working force of this division in their rooms on the fourth floor of the District building.

Mr. Edgar E. Helm for the past ten years has been the private and confidential secretary to the engineer of highways, Mr. C. B. Hunt, and in that capacity has become well and favorably known to the citizens of the capital having business with the engineer department.

Mr. Helm was a newspaper man before he became connected with the District government. He has lived in Washington all his life, with the exception of three years he was connected with the press in Cincinnati.

In a Serious Condition.

A young colored woman fell while alighting from a street car last evening about 8:45 o'clock at the intersection of East Capitol and 7th streets, and received a severe injury to her head. She was unconscious when picked up by Mr. Alexander McKenzie, one of the assistants to Assessor Griffin, and he saw to it that she was cared for until the arrival of the ambulance from the Casualty Hospital. The woman was unconscious when she reached the hospital, and the surgeons were unable to ascertain her name or address. It was stated at the hospital this afternoon that she is still in a serious condition.

AT VIENNA, VA.

Events of General Interest in Nearby Section.

Special Correspondence of The Star.

VIENNA, Va., August 2, 1907.

It is reported that Keys, the young man who was committed to jail at Fairfax Court House on a charge of having caused the death of McCuan at Pleasant Valley last Saturday night or early Sunday morning, has confessed to having killed McCuan, claiming, however, that he did it in self-defense. Keys first asserted that McCuan committed suicide. It is believed that the prosecuting attorney will attempt to prove that there was a well-laid plan to get McCuan into a fight in order that he might be killed.

J. W. Jones, J. L. Wilmett and others of the Vienna Lodge of the Junior Order of American Mechanics, will attend the opening meeting of the Herndon lodge of the order to be held in Darlington's Grove, at Herndon, this evening.

Magnolia Grove Dairy Farm, near Bancroft, was the scene of an interesting tournament Wednesday afternoon when many Washingtonians and people from the surrounding country were present. Races on the Washington, Arlington and Falls Church railway being met by stages at Columbia pike to convey the visitors to the grounds. Tilling began at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and was participated in by W. Q. Clark, James Downs, H. Hirst, H. Palmer, R. B. Cansby, Thomas Head, J. B. Blanford, R. Sims, E. Palmer, H. T. Hirst, G. Rodgers, H. Henson, D. Dornier and C. Bladen. Many exhibitions of fine horsemanship were given.

The judges were William Palmer and Luther Palm, marshal, Richard Cleveland. Dancing began at 8 o'clock in the evening and continued until about 1 a.m. Several flocks of young wild turkeys have

been seen in the woods near here recently, and the indications are that there will be good shooting this fall.

W. A. Johnson and wife and his sister, Miss Kate Johnson, also Mrs. Lloyd Douglas and Thomas Jackson of the Interstate commerce commission and wife, are at the Ralph Louis home on Winlover Heights, Vienna.

Steps are being taken by the Vienna commuters of the Washington, Arlington and Falls Church railway to form a local association to co-operate with the general organization of commuters, the officers of which were elected at the Falls Church meeting a few days ago.

A large barn owned by Edgar Tavenner and located near Hamilton, Loudoun county, was struck by lightning yesterday and completely destroyed by the fire which followed. Loss was about \$2,000.

ROCKVILLE AND VICINITY.

General and Personal News of Montgomery County, Md.

Special Correspondence of The Star.

ROCKVILLE, Md., August 2, 1907.
Mr. Harle E. Pace and Miss Alice A. Clarke, both of Washington, visited Rockville yesterday afternoon and were married by Rev. S. R. White of the Baptist Church. The ceremony was performed at the home of the minister and was witnessed by two Washington friends of the young couple.

Licenses to marry have been issued by the clerk of the circuit court here to David D. McDonald and Julia Clipper, all of this county.

lan's chauffeur, who was recently arrested near Bethesda, this county, it being alleged that he ran his automobile at an illegal rate of speed.

The annual picnic for the benefit of St. Gabriel's Catholic Church, at Potomac, was held in Case's Grove, near Potomac, yesterday and attracted the usual large crowd. Prominent among those present were the numerous candidates for the various democratic nominations to be made at Saturday's primary election. The occasion proved a regular political field day, the various aspirants putting in an afternoon and evening of lively hustling in quest of support.

Among the candidates and other politicians on the grounds were Richard Humphrey Case, Charles M. Williams, Benjamin C. Gott, John W. Carroll, Richard L. Saunders, Charles Velts, Louis F. Waters, Alexander Kilgour, J. Boy Henderson, Andrew J. Cummings, Preston B. Ray, J. Dawson Williams, Dr. James E. Deets, George W. Waters, Louis B. Scholl, Clarence M. Griffith, R. Brooke Gott, John A. West, Remus R. Darby, Ninian M. Perry, Alfred C. Tolson, George W. Mullican, William E. Vieth, Washington B. Chichester, Leonard Ricketts, Randolph Luhn, William T. Wheeler, Walter C. Carroll, James P. Gott, John A. Garrett, John H. Bogley, John G. Stone, David J. Bready and others.

The picnic proved one of the most successful ever held at Potomac. The arrangements were in charge of Rev. Philip B. McGuire, and the various booths and tables were looked after by the ladies of the congregation. Toward evening dancing was begun and the young folks enjoyed the pastime until a late hour.

Vacation Term in Court.

Justice Job Barnard will not preside at the court until September 1, as inadvertently reported yesterday. He will be succeeded August 16 by Justice Wendell P. Stafford, to whom is assigned the last half of August.

HOODOO OF SKIDOO.

Fateful "23" Sign Damaging to Defendant in Police Court.

The skidoo qualities of "23" are firmly appreciated by Charlotte Wilson, colored, a former denizen of Bates alley. The significant sign of "23" has been hanging over her head for several days, and this morning the climax occurred when Judge Kimball fined her \$23. In default she skidded to the workhouse for sixty-nine days.

Charlotte had a domicile in Bates alley until a couple of days ago. Then a deputy marshal with a writ visited her home and Charlotte and her furniture were set out in the alley.

The law reads that furniture must not be left on the public thoroughfare longer than two hours; but Sergt. Conlon testified in court today that Charlotte's property was in the alley twenty-three hours. She faced three charges in the Police Court this morning, one for disorderly conduct, a second for breaking glass in the street, and a third for leaving furniture in the street. The fines aggregated \$23.

Department Officers Transferred.

The bureau of corporations of the Department of Commerce and Labor is preparing to occupy quarters on the ground floor of the department building on 14th street. The supply division of the Department has occupied a part of the first floor, but is being transferred to the census office building, corner of 1st and B streets. Mr. Wilbur W. Fowler, chief of the supply division, retains his office in the 14th street building, but all other employees of the division will henceforth be located in the census office.